

St. Patrick's Catholic Primary School



Literacy Overview – Year 5

















Appro Term	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7	Week 8	Week 9	Week 10	Week 11	Week	Week 13	Week 14	Week 15
Autumn	Battle Speech: Anglo-Saxon Boy by Tony Bradman				Oy Anima Va	Poetry: The Most Dangerous Animal in the World by Valerie Bloom National Poetry Day 5.10.23			Nonchronological reports: Emperor Penguins				Narrative: The Snowman by Raymond Briggs		
Spring	Mystery Narrative: The Nowhere Emporium by Ross McKenzie				Diary entries	Persuasive letter ry entries John:			Иitch	Poetry: The Highwayman by Alfred Noyes					
Summer		i ve fanta nthony Br	-	Poetry: The Malfeasance by Alan Bold			Balanced argument: Screen Use				Narrative adventure: based on animation 'One Small Step' by Taiko Studios				

The Autumn term begins with a speech inspired by an Anglo-Saxon battle, fostering children's performance and persuasive writing skills. Poetry is then introduced through 'The Most Dangerous Animal in the World' by Valerie Bloom, encouraging analysis of poetic devices. Non-chronological reports on Emperor Penguins enhance research and writing skills, while the narrative genre is explored through "The Snowman" by Raymond Briggs, emphasising storytelling and descriptive language.

In the Spring term, students tackle a mystery narrative with "The Nowhere Emporium" by Ross McKenzie, honing suspense and characterisation skills. Diary entries promote creativity and reflection, and persuasive letters in "Kick" by Mitch Johnson develop persuasive writing and argumentation skills. 'The Highwayman' by Alfred Noyes allows students to explore the power of spoken language, rhythm and poetic devices such as imagery, metaphors and personification.

During the Summer term, students delve into narrative fantasy with "Zoo" by Anthony Browne, expanding imagination and character development. Poetry is further explored with "The Malfeasance" by Alan Bold, enabling analysis and creation of poetic works. Balanced arguments on screen use cultivate critical thinking and research abilities. Finally, a narrative adventure based on the animation "One Small Step" by Taiko Studios integrates various skills acquired throughout the year.





Links to the National Curriculum

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Autumn 2 - Reading and writing knowledge/skills

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- 3. Words ending in /shul' spelled. '-cial'
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- 6.Challenge words

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- 8. Words ending in '-ance' and '-ancy'
- 9. Words ending in '-ent' and '-ence'
- 10. Words ending in '-able' and '-ible'
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- 13. Words ending in '-able', where the 'e' from the root word remains
- 14. Words that are adverbs of time
- 15.Words ending in '-fer'
- 16.Words with 'silent' first letters
- 17.Words with 'silent' letters
- 18.Challenge Words

Spelling Shed:

- 19.Words spelled with 'ie' after c
- 20.Words where 'ei' makes an /ee/ sound
- 21.Words where 'ough' makes an /or/ sound
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- 33.Revision: Year 5 words







